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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: Munenori WATANABE

Group Art Unit: 2834

Serial No.: 09/766,584

Examiner: Judson Jones

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P.T.O. Confirmation No.: 2355

For: HIGH-THRUST LINEAR MOTOR AND METHOD OF PRODUCING THE SAME

## SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Date: January 22, 2004

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 23, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the claims, begin on page 2.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5.